Rt. 8, Frederick, Md. 21701
5/6/74

Mr. John Lindsay
Newsweek,

Dear John,

While I have not yet received the copy I've paid for of Nixon's editing of Nixon's selection of Nixon's tapes, and thus have not read the texts that have been published, when the WxPost was, in the reporting I've seen only one of the things I had in mind when we spoke was reported in them. Others were ambiguous not but without mention.

In this case, what I then had in hand is as yet not public.

Should you think I am just talking big, and I do not suggest this has to be your reaction, what I have is documentary and dated.

I am suggesting something, that despite the significance of what he has just disclosed, our Glorious Leader still has all you people spinning your wheels.

Maybe his desparation, but also fact as it relates to the media. All of it.

This needles is a reminder of what could have been and what you had no control over. I avoid many others because needling is not my purpose in writing.

Long ago you promised to get for me what had been introduced into court evidence, Haldeman's memo of his day of 6/20/72. My desire and my interest - and my limitations - are undiminished.

You then said you had asked another Newsweek staffer to pick it up.

If you can still have this done, I would still like very much to have it.

In fact, if your files hold what I would hope they do, I would much appreciate copies of any of the logs for that day and the period of McCord's letter to Sirica. McCord wrote his letter 3/19/73. Sirica, who received it earlier, read it in court 3/23/73.

This happens to coincide with the period of the last known payoff to Hunt, in which I also have my own interests.

If after all this time what I think is a simple request, aside from a promise, involves any kind of big deal, no sweat. Just forget it.

There is no point in my asking the prosecution for it. They have refused all my requests all of which have been for public evidence, reported evidence. No secrets.

Best wishes,

Harold Weisberg